

STATE PRESS ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING

Largest Attendance In History of the Organization

The annual meeting of the Missouri Press Association which was held in St. Louis, last week closed Friday night with a grand banquet at the Annex hotel given by the St. Louis Press Club.

During the afternoon session the officers for the coming year were selected as follows:

President, H. S. Sturgis, of the Neosho Times.

Vice President, L. M. White, of the Mexico Ledger.

Secretary, H. J. Blanton, of the Paris Appeal.

Treasurer, J. P. Tucker, of the Parkville Gazette.

The next meeting of the Association will be held in St. Joseph.

The editors were royally entertained while in the city.

On Wednesday evening a 7 o'clock dinner was given the fraternity at Cicardi's, followed by a cabaret, musical and ball.

Thursday afternoon there was a trip on the river to Jefferson Barracks, dress parade and drill, military band concert and supper with the soldiers. This trip was given by the Graham Paper Company, the Barnhart Brothers and Spindler and the American Type Foundries.

Friday afternoon all were invited to Sportsman park to witness a game between Washington and the Browns with Walter Johnson, the famous pitcher, on the mound for the Senators. Those who did not care to witness the game were taken to Shaw's Garden.

At the Press Club dinner at night, Blanche Ring and her company, who were playing at the Columbia, came over and assisted in the entertainment.

During the past year there were 108 new members enrolled and but few were dropped from the rolls.

The editors adopted a resolution stating that the railroads should be permitted to receive sufficient remuneration to permit them to render first class service, also a resolution favoring disarmament of the nations and the establishing of lasting peace.

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ATTEMPTED TO BURN DRUG STORE

When F. N. Reese, of Cassville, went down to open up his drug store in the J. J. Edden block, Saturday morning, he found that some one had attempted to set the building on fire, but their efforts had failed.

A quart of coal oil had been poured on the back door and had been set afire. The door was somewhat charred but the fire had not burned long enough to cause serious damage.

The Black Brothers, of Peirce City, who own bloodhounds, were called to try to trace the guilty parties. The dogs took a trail along the road and through fields toward Mineral Spring, but the officers failed to locate anyone who could be suspected of doing the deed.

It was on their return from this quest that Charles Black was killed.

BIG INCREASE IN HOME WHEAT

Springfield, Mo., Sept. 18.—An increase of 32 1-3 per cent of the wheat acreage of Southwest Missouri the coming season above that of 1914 was predicted by W. H. Marshall, a miller of Joplin, who attended the regular meeting of the Southwest Missouri Millers' Association here today. Twenty millers were present.

KILLED BY HIS TEAM

Barney Witt Falls Under Run-away Horses and is Instantly Killed

Saturday evening, September 19, Barney Witt, a young farmer living two miles south of the Stones Prairie Lutheran church, was killed by his team as it started to run away in front of his brother's place.

Mr. Witt had been to Purdy for a load of fertilizer. On his return home he stopped a few minutes at the home of his brother, John Witt. When he started to get back in his wagon, the seat fell down and frightened his horses. They started to run and threw Mr. Witt over the front of the wagon. He was almost instantly killed either by a kick of a horse or by the wagon running over him. There was a bad wound in his side.

The funeral was held Monday and interment was made at Purdy. He was twenty-four years old and leaves a wife and one child.

SIX HURT IN WRECK ON ROCK ISLAND

Kansas City, Sept. 22.—Six persons were injured when Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific passenger train No. 24 was derailed 25 miles east of here, today. W. L. Williams, engineer, and Fred Mayer, fireman, both of Eldon, Mo., were injured fatally, it is believed. Four passengers were hurt.

Several hundred feet of the road bed, undermined by heavy rain, gave way under the weight of the train, running at full speed. The engine, baggage car and one coach over turned.

PLANCHON—CUENDET

Miss Nellie Cuendet and Albert Planchon were married Friday, September 11 at Rolla. This news came as a surprise to the relatives and friends of the young couple. Miss Cuendet went to St. James on a visit to a sister. Mr. Planchon followed her and they were married. They are now in St. Louis enjoying their honeymoon.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ami Cuendet and her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. S. Planchon, both families living south of Monett.

Diarrhoea Quickly Cured

"My attention was first called to Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as much as twelve years ago. At that time I was seriously ill with summer complaint. One dose of this remedy checked the trouble," writes Mrs. C. W. Florence, Rockfield, Ind. For sale by all dealers.

ECONOMIZE AT THE CAPITAL

Washington, Sept. 19.—In line with the administration idea of keeping federal expense down, President Wilson notified his Cabinet they must keep their budgets to the minimum and there must be no salary increases, it was announced today.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rittenhouse attended the funeral of Charles Black at Peirce City, Monday.

Miss Eula Breese has returned from a visit with Miss Baber at Neosho.

Mrs. O. Barker and little Margaret Willis visited Mrs. W. S. Carlin at Purdy, Wednesday.

The Monett and Verona high school foot ball teams will play here Saturday.

Mrs. J. Q. Williams, of Jenkins, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ed Russey.

Mrs. Nora Tate is working at Durnil's this week in place of Miss May Randolph, who is taking her vacation.

Lisle J. Wormington will leave Thursday morning for Columbia to enter the Junior year of the State University.

Frank Riddle has returned from Springfield, where he has been in the Frisco hospital for treatment for injuries received in a railroad accident. He is much-improved but still uses his crutches.

72 DROWNED WHEN PACIFIC LINER SINKS

One Survivor of Boat Arrives on Ship at Astoria, Ore.

Astoria, Ore., Sept. 19.—The San Francisco and Portland steamer Beaver, docked at her pier here this afternoon bringing among her passengers the wreck of the steamer, Francis H. Leggett, which sank in a gale yesterday about 60 miles south of the Columbia river with 72 passengers and members of her crew.

The survivor is Alexander Farrell, a passenger who was confined to his stateroom by exhaustion from floating about in the seas from 3 o'clock until 1:30 o'clock this morning.

During a heavy gale and in a terrific sea the deckload on the Leggett shifted suddenly. The vessel capsized and sank before boats could be lowered.

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KINGS PRAIRIE

We are having fine fall weather for all needed purposes. Corn cutting is over and all the farmers are now busy preparing their wheat ground. It behooves us to produce every thing in the way of bread stuff possible, for it will be good for us and a blessing to those over the water who will be calling for it.

C. W. Gray filled his appointment at New Liberty last Sunday.

B. S. Stribling was busy last week gathering his Grimes Goldens and delivering them to the shippers at Monett. F. R. Dummit was also delivering his and somebody far away will soon be having golden pies.

Mrs. Estella Alexander, who had been staying the past two weeks with her aunt, Mrs. B. S. Stribling, left Sunday morning for her home in Springfield. She was accompanied by E. S. Stribling, who went to fill his appointment at the M. P. Church at that place.

If you don't believe that Kings Prairie can live by herself if one of those enemies comes over and lays siege, come to the Prairie school on Patron's next Friday and see the good things on display.

We regret to hear of the death of Wesley Henderson and two other brothers sick with the fever. The Hendersons have many warm friends on the Prairie.

C. C. Carter's twelve year old daughter Bessie has been seriously ill with typhoid fever for three weeks and is still very low.

A pie social was held at the school house the other night to get funds to defray the expenses of the premiums to be offered on prizes at the school fair.

If the war continues very long and everybody is killed off we may have to send emigrants over to settle up that country and take up homesteads.

It is to be regretted to look through the orchards just now, especially the Ben Davis and see the vast amount of wind falls that are destined to go to waste. If there were evaporating plants at all the nearby towns it would pay three ways: The orchardist, the company and the consumer would be benefited.

Nix has got his fodder shock out and tied at the top end, a load of hay in the loft, a load of wood at the wood pile and his cellar full of canned fruit and apple sass. Come over and you will find him doing business at the same old stand.

BANK ROBBERY AT BAXTER SPRINGS

Three Bandits Lock Three Men in Vault and Escape With \$8,542

At 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon three armed men robbed the First National Bank of Baxter Springs, Kan., of more than \$8,000.

The men entered the bank together. The assistant cashier, Frank Brewster, was engaged in bank work. Two customers were standing in the lobby. The appearance of the men did not arouse suspicion until one of the robbers placed a revolver against Brewster's back and the others covered the customers with their guns.

They forced the banker to dump the money into a wheat sack, then locked the three men in the vault and left the bank leisurely. They mounted their horses which were tied a short distance away and made their escape.

Walter Hartley, cashier of the bank, who had been out for a few minutes on business, returned a short time after the bandits left and hearing the men in the vault let them out, which was the first that was known by any, except the victims, of the robbery.

Posses were quickly formed to search for the perpetrators, but they had not yet been located this morning.

Miss Louva Jones, of Pioneer, is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. E. Meador.

Rev. J. F. King is attending a conference of the M. E. Church at Fairplay this week.

Mrs. S. F. Carter, of Kings Prairie, visited at Aurora, this week.

S. B. Mathis, of McDowell, was here on business, Wednesday.

Chief of Police Jackson took W. B. Hardin, the forger, to Cassville, Wednesday.

Wm. Brazier, of St. Louis, was in town on business, Wednesday.

Lee Evans will go to work again soon for Mrs. Stroyd.

Carl Carlinsky went to Springfield on business, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Griffith, of northeast of town, were trading here, Wednesday.

Eddie Russey will leave this week for St. Louis to resume his study of dentistry at Washington University.

Mrs. Wm. Smerdon, daughter Grace and son Edward returned home Tuesday morning from Eureka Springs, Ark.

Frank Small, who has been visiting his brother, C. C. Holt, went to Norman, Ok., Tuesday night to enter the State University.

Jesse Alderson and Ralph Turpin are taking a post graduate course at the Monett high school. They will be members of the foot ball team.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Lawson, of Richmond, who have been visiting Mrs. W. P. Williams, left Monday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Williams at Granby.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hoover have moved to Springfield. Mrs. Hoover went there, Wednesday morning, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. G. W. Chapin.

Mrs. D. J. Randolph and daughter, Miss May, will leave this week for Oklahoma to visit Will Randolph and other friends and relatives.

W. J. Fleming, Democratic committeeman from the first ward, went to Cassville Wednesday to attend a special meeting of the County executive committee.

Mrs. R. Hawk, of Cassville, visited Mrs. J. R. Andrews, Tuesday evening on her way to Springfield, to purchase millinery goods.

James McNally and family visited in Purdy, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Viga Hall are moving to Fifth street.

D. H. Kemp made a business trip to Neosho, Friday.

George Vermillion, of Washburn, is visiting relatives here.

Hugh L. Moore has returned home from St. Louis.

W. F. Durnil and C. Collins went to Joplin, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bradford visited in Purdy, Sunday.

J. N. Guthrie, of Marionville, was in town, Monday.

W. T. McCormick has purchased a new automobile.

John Eagan, of Springfield, visited friends here, Sunday.

Drexel Atkinson visited friends in Purdy, Sunday.

Mrs. Mike Murphy, of Kansas City, is visiting here this week.

Mrs. Pearl Avery visited friends in Carthage, Sunday.

J. E. Tyhurst and family visited in Elsey, Sunday.

Grant Rolleg has returned from Southern Illinois where he has been playing ball.

John Boehm has returned to his studies at the medical college at St. Louis.

Mrs. J. M. Clayton and Mrs. Dunegan went to Joplin, Saturday morning.

Miss Kate Reardon and Mrs. Byron Callender were in Springfield, Saturday.

John Conrey and family, of Peirce City, visited here, Sunday.

Misses Bertie and Nellie Fleming are visiting friends in Aurora.

Mr. Stubblefield, of Aurora, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Frank Howerton.

Mrs. Ed Russey, Miss Leta and Miss Bess Russey spent Monday in Peirce City.

Chas. Conrad and Linzee LeGrand, of Peirce City, were in town, Sunday.

V. E. Mitchell is visiting friends here on his way from Joplin to Marion, Kan.

R. W. Poplin, of Butterfield, was in the city on business, Monday.

Attorney Jas. Talbert, of Cassville, was looking after legal business in Monett, Monday.

Mrs. Belle Sheldrup, of Peirce City, attended the Sunday school convention here, Sunday.

C. C. Lane, proprietor of the Lane Dairy south of town, went to Carthage Monday to attend the Dairy Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Heyburn and daughter Grace have returned from a week's visit in Chicago.

Mr. Razor, of Marshall Hill, is very ill with paralysis. His daughter is expected from Rawlings, Wyo.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Allen, of Peirce City, attended the Sunday school convention here, Sunday afternoon.

Miss Eva Rouse returned to her home at Purdy, Sunday, after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Alvin Bradford.

John Callan and family, J. E. Moody and family and Vincent Wilson spent Sunday at Sidway's ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Kates have returned to their home at Claremore, Ok., after a visit with Dr. and Mrs. A. S. Hawkins.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Mills, Mrs. A. W. Wightman, Misses Nellie Mills, Laura and Louise Rice, motored to Crestline, Kan., Sunday.

Steve Reardon returned home from Springfield, Saturday. He has been taking treatment for stomach trouble in the Frisco hospital and is much improved.

Miss May Withers, of Golden City, wrote to friends here that lightning struck a wheat stack on their farm and burned it down. But for the timely aid of neighbors they would have lost their whole crop.

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AUSTRIAN SHIPS DAMAGED

Special to the Daily Times.

London, Sept. 23, (2:45 p. m.)—Advices from Rome state that two Austrian cruisers put into Sebenico, Delmatia, today in a badly damaged condition from a battle with French ships in the Adriatic sea.

Paris, Sept. 23, (2:45 p. m.)—The report earlier in the day that the French left northwest of Paris had succeeded in partly turning the flank of the German right has been confirmed by the war office. The British are preparing to advance and retake St. Quentin.

Lee Evans, of Elsey, visited here Monday.

Mrs. Alice Gerhart is in Purdy for a few days this week.

Luther Davidson, carrier on city mail route 1, is quite ill this week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Hudson, of Cassville, visited Saturday night and Sunday in Monett.

Mrs. T. E. Brite and daughter, Miss Flora, were shopping here, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Heimbaugh and children visited in Peirce City, Sunday.

Chas. Calvin went with a party of Purdy young people to Pioneer, Sunday.

A daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Butler Sunday evening, September 20.

FOR SALE:—Rye for seed. T. J. Molohan on Meador Farm. w2 t2 p

Mrs. B. S. Binney and children returned from an extended visit in Upton, Wyo., Saturday night.

Homer and Floyd McIntosh, Misses May Peters and Anna Albright motored to Pioneer, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Carlin and daughter Ruth, of Purdy, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Willis, Sunday.

Fred Gibbons, Carl Saxe, Misses Gladys Price, Josie Cassidy and Maude Gibbons motored to Pioneer, Sunday afternoon.

W. H. Dennis and wife, of Enid, Ok., are here, called by the serious illness of their niece, Miss Thelma Clement, who has a severe attack of typhoid fever.

Miss McDuff, who has been nursing Bill Meyer through an attack of typhoid fever, returned to her home at Springfield, Sunday night.

W. E. Thornburgh is very low with paralysis and other troubles. His brother, C. C. Thornburgh, of Trenton and Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Thornburgh, of Chula, are here to assist in caring for him.

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